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### Recognition



## Thank you to Economic Development Commissioners Matt Dickstein and Nik Tehrani!



On November 4th, Economic Development Advisory Commission (EDAC) Commissioners Matt Dickstein and Nik Tehrani were honored for their dedication for serving on EDAC for the past 10 years. Matt and Nik both provided valuable input as members of the Commission, most recently giving direction on the General Plan Economic Development Element. They also attended dozens of Corporate Visits with Fremont businesses building relationships between Fremont businesses and City staff as well as shared their business expertise during a variety of events.

We extend a warm thank you to Matt and Nik for serving as a great connection between the City of Fremont and the business community.

# Washington Hospital Healthcare System is honored by Stopwaste.org with Business Efficiency Award!

On November 4, 2010, StopWaste.org honored 12 Alameda County companies and organizations with the 2010 Business Efficiency Awards. The awards are presented annually for outstanding achievements in waste reduction, enhanced operational efficiency, and environmental performance. Among the recipients was Fremont's Washington Hospital.

Washington Hospital received this award for the following specific achievements:

- · Hospital-wide recycling and compostables collection program
- Reducing paper waste with online reports, training materials and e-newsletters
- Preventing waste with reusable produce totes and reusable sharps containers
- Educating employees through sustainability education fairs

Join us in congratulating Washington Hospital Healthcare System!

**Business Resources** 



Join the Shop Fremont! Campaign



It's not too late to join the City's Shop Fremont! Campaign before the holiday shopping season gets underway! This program allows you to market your business for free! In addition to print and online ads, street banners, window clings, and other materials, we also offer an online business coupon program and Shop Fremont! paper shopping bags. Contact the Office of Economic Development at (510) 284-4020 or email for more details about this program.

#### Annual Broker Event Save-the-Date

Mark your calendar for Fremont's annual Broker Event: What's in Store for Fremont in 2011/Fremont's Economic Outlook.

Thursday, February 3, 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Fremont City Hall, City Council Chambers 3300 Capitol Avenue, Building A Fremont CA 94538

Economist Jon Haveman will talk about retail trends and the road to economic recovery for Fremont and the region. To register for this event contact Kim Marshall at (510) 284-4020 or <a href="mailto:email.">email</a>.

### **Business and Community Input**



### South Fremont/Warm Springs Area Studies Community Meeting

The City of Fremont will convene a second Community Workshop on the South Fremont/Warm Springs Area Studies. The Workshop will be held on Monday, December 6, 2010, from 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. at the Warm Springs Community Center, 47300 Fernald Street, Fremont.

The focus of the December 6 workshop will be primarily on framing a series of Land Use Alternatives for the study area. Input at the meeting is welcome and encouraged.

Information about the South Fremont/Warm Springs Area Studies and related documents are available through the City's <u>website</u>, or by contacting Brian Millar, Project Manager, at (510) 284-4008 or by <u>email</u>.



The City of Fremont Economic Development Department strives to help businesses grow in Fremont. Please contact us at (510) 284-4020 or by email if we can be of service to you.



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